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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: CENTRAL BANK AND FINANCE BUILDINGS

- 1. THE CENTRAL BANK OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO IS SEEKING A MANAGEMENT CONTRACTOR TO SUPERVISE CONSTRUCTION OF A CENTRAL BANK AND FINANCE COMPLEX TO BE BUILT IN DOWNTOWN PORT OF SPAIN. THE COMPLEX IS TO CONSIST OF A SIXTEEN STORY CENTRAL BANK BUILDING, AN EIGHT STORY FINANCE BUILDING, AND A EIGHT STORY CAR PARK, THE TOTAL AREA OF WHICH WILL BE ABOUT 550,000 SOUARE FEET.
- 2. THE CONTRACTOR WILL BE EXPECTED TO SERVE AS TECHNICAL ADVISOR TO THE DESIGN TEAM; ADVISE ON METHODS OF CONSTRUCTION; UNDERTAKE FINANCIAL STUDIES AND REVIEW OF COST ESTIMATES; UNDERTAKE PROJECT COORDINATION, PLANNING, PROGRAMMING, AND A PROCUREMENT; SUPERVISE CONSTRUCTION, AND OTHER SERVICES AS AGREED TO. CONTRACTOR MAY BE ASKED TO PROVIDE CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT AND UTILITIES.
- 3. TO PREQUALIFY FOR TENDER SUBMISSION, INTERESTED FIRMS SHOULD PROVIDE INFORMATION ON THEIR EXPERIENCE ON CONTRACTS OF SIMILAR SIZE AND SCOPE WITH PROOF OF SAME; ANY EXPERIENCE IN TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO; EVIDENCE OF AVAILABILITY AND CAPABILITY OF EQUIPMENT AND EVIDENCE OF FINANCIAL RESOURCES INCLUDING LATEST AUDITED BALANCE SHEET.

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4. ABOVE INFORMATION SHOULD BE SUPPLIED TO THE PROJECT MANAGER, CENTRAL BANK OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO, INDEPENDENCE SQUARE, PORT OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD; TO ANTHONY C. LEWIS PARTNERSHIP (ARCHITECTS FOR THE CENTRAL BANK); 15 VICTORIA AVENUE, PORT OF SPAIN; OR THE SPECIAL PROJECTS OFFICE, 8 STANMORE AVENUE, PORT OF SPAIN, TELEPHONE 62/52447 OR 62/53188. ANY QUESTIONS ON TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS SHOULD

BE ADDRESSED TO THE ARCHIETECT (ANTHONY C. LEWIS PARTNERSHIP). BIDS WILL BE UNDER AUTHORITY OF TENDERS COMMITTEE OF THE CENTRAL BANK.

5. COPY OF PROPOSAL IS BEING POUCHED TO MEPD/PHILBRICK. FOX

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